

In 2015, 153 correctional facilities met the Texas Health & Safety Code Chapter 89 criteria and were required to report their TB screening activities in the form of a Monthly Correctional TB Report. This annual report highlights TB screening activities in your jail and compares results to all designated Texas Health & Safety Code Chapter 89 correctional facilities.

Table 2: TB Screening Results January 1– December 31, 2015			
Jim Wells County Jail	Total at this Facility	% at this Facility	All Facilities (Chapter 89)
INMATES			
Number of Skin Test Administered	344		483,566
Number of Skin Test Read	303	88.1%	369,748
Number of Positive Tuberculin Skin Test	6	2.0%	22,616
Number of Chest x-rays Performed	11		37,238
Number of Conversions	2		1,796
Number of TB Suspects Reported	0		148
Number of Active TB Cases Reported	0		134
Number of TB Cases Transferred In	0		7
EMPLOYEES			
Number of Skin Test Administered	36		15,024
Number of Skin Test Read	36	100%	14,354
Number of Positive TST	1	2.8%	119
Number of CXRs Performed	1		629
Number of Conversions	0		53
Number of TB Suspects Reported	0		2
Number of Active TB Cases Reported	0		0

In 2015, there were 303 inmate tuberculin skin tests administered and read at Jim Wells County Jail. Of that number, 6 (2.0%) had a measurement of 10 mm or greater.

There were 36 employee tuberculin skin tests administered and read in 2015. Of that number, one (2.8%) had a measurement of 10 mm or greater.

There were no suspects and no cases reported in 2015 at Jim Wells County Jail.

All Monthly Correctional TB Reports were submitted for 2015 - 100%.